PATENT

Docket No.: 176/61654 (1247)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants	:	Phipps et al.	
U.S. Serial No:		10/576,824	Examiner:
Filed	:	August 31, 2006	Sahar Javanmard
Cnfrm No	:	9061	Art Unit: 1617
For	:	USE OF PEROXISOME PROLIFERATOR -) ACTIVATED RECEPTOR GAMMA (PPARY)) AND/OR RETINOIC ACID RECEPTOR (RXR)) AGONISTS TO INHIBIT PLATELET FUNCTIONS)	1017

NOTICE OF APPEAL AND REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop: AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the examiner's decision dated March 13, 2009, finally rejecting claims 17-37, 56-65, and 106-108

In addition, applicants hereby request an extension of time of three months from the due date of June 13, 2009. Because the deadline for responding fell on a Sunday, this submission is timely pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.7.

Please charge the fees in the amount of \$825.00 to Deposit Account No. 14-1138, which covers the \$270.00 cost of the appeal fee and the \$555.00 cost of the extension of time.

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Respectfully submitted,

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